

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

KATHRYN REITH : CIVIL ACTION

v. :

TEVA PHARMACEUTICALS USA, INC., :
et al. : NO. 18-3987

LAURIE STEINER HALPERIN : CIVIL ACTION

v. :

TEVA PHARMACEUTICALS USA, INC., :
et al. : NO. 18-3992

ORDER

AND NOW, this 27th day of March, 2019, for the reasons set forth in the foregoing Memorandum, it is hereby ORDERED that:

(1) the motions of the plaintiffs to remand these actions to the Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County are DENIED;

(2) the defendants Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. and Teva Branded Pharmaceutical Products R&D, Inc. are DISMISSED from both actions as fraudulently joined; and

(3) the defendant The Cooper Companies, Inc. is DISMISSED as fraudulently joined in Civil Action No. 18-3992 only.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Harvey Bartle III

J.